



CITY OF HEDWIG VILLAGE, TEXAS
SPECIAL CITY COUNCIL MEETING
PUBLIC HEARING
SEPTEMBER 9, 2021
6:00 P.M. - 955 PINEY POINT ROAD

MINUTES

In accordance with Governor Abbott's Executive Order or Proclamation dated March 13, 2020 and continued monthly by Executive Orders or Proclamations to the most recent Proclamation dated July 30, 2021 relating to the COVID-19 pandemic and the need to minimize face-to-face contact, the City of Hedwig Village held the September 9, 2021 Special City Council Meeting in person with several participants joining the meeting via Zoom, as noted below.

1. CALL TO ORDER

Mayor Jinks called the meeting to order at 6:00 p.m.

Present: Mayor Tom Jinks

Councilmember Scott Davis
Councilmember Harry J. Folloder
Councilmember Dane Johnson
Councilmember Shirley Rouse
Councilmember Matt Woodruff

Kelly Johnson, City Admin./Secr.-
Treas. (via Zoom)
David Gott, Police Chief
Lisa Modisette, Asst. City Secretary

Absent: None

Mayor Jinks led the Councilmembers, City staff, and visitors in the Pledge of Allegiance.

2. PUBLIC HEARING

A. The purpose of the public hearing is to receive and consider public input and comments regarding the adoption of the proposed 2022 Budget of the Fiscal Year beginning January 1, 2022 and ending December 31, 2022.

B. The purpose of the public hearing is to receive and consider public input and comments regarding the tax rate of \$0.364347/\$100 valuation that has been proposed for tax year 2021.

Tom Speck, 11751 Cawdor Way, spoke in opposition to the proposed tax rate. He stated the Hedwig Village tax rate has increased eighty-five percent in the last six years. He stated the other Villages have either maintained their tax rate or decreased their tax rate. He stated the City should not be building an infrastructure reserve fund, if construction is needed the City should use long-term debt to fund such construction.

Andrea Hermann, 930 Karos Lane, encouraged City Council to adopt the tax rate as presented on the agenda. She stated Mr. Speck has not attended any of the previous budget meetings.

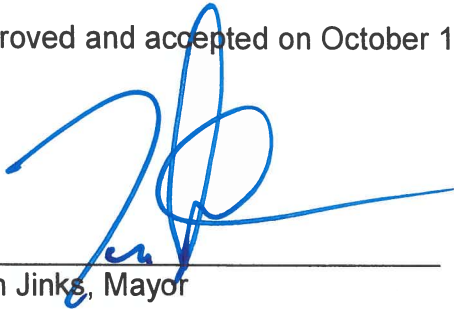
Jim Weatherall, 11618 Spriggs Way, stated he does not recall paying Hedwig Village taxes in the past. He was informed the school district tax office mails out the tax bills and those bills include the Hedwig Village taxes.

3. ADJOURN

Motion was made by Councilmember Johnson and seconded by Councilmember Rouse to adjourn the meeting at 6:10 p.m. Motion carried 5-0.

MOTION CARRIED UNANIMOUSLY

Approved and accepted on October 14, 2021.



Tom Jinks, Mayor

ATTEST:



Lisa Modisette, Asst. City Secretary

